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DENKTASH TALKS

- 1. FCO'S WESTON TELLS US THAT WECKMANN REQUESTED ADDITIONAL REINFORCEMENT OF BRITISH TROOPS AT NICOSIA AIRPORT YESTERDAY, FEBRUARY 13. BRITISH TALKED ABOUT THIS TO GUYER IN NEW YORK, WHO DID NOT KNOW ANYTHING YET. BRITISH NOTE THEY HAVE ALREADY REINFORCED THEIR TROOPS THERE BY ADDING ARMORED CARS. THEY DOUBT ANY FURTHER REINFORCEMENTS COULD HOLD OFF TURKISH ATTACK, AS WECKMANN SEEMS TO BELIEVE. THEY ARE THEREFORE INCLINED TO "PLAY IT LONG" AND WAIT FOR MORE DEFINITIVE REQUEST FROM SYG BEFORE REPLYING. THEY WILL CONSULT WITH USG BEFORE DOING THAT, WESTON SAYS.
- 2. GREEK AMBASSADOR SAW PUS BRIMELOW FEBRUARY 12 WITH INSTRUCTIONS TO SUPPORT CLERIDES' PROPOSALS TO DENKTASH (PARALLELING EARLIER GREEK REPRESENTATION TO DEPARTMENT).

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